

**CERTIFICATE**

2015

To the Clerk of Crawford County, State of Kansas  
We, the undersigned, officers of

**Sherman Township**

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;  
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was approved and adopted as the  
maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2015; and (3) the  
Amount(s) of 2014 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2015 Budget.

		2015 Adopted Budget		
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<b>Fund</b>	<b>K.S.A.</b>			
General	79-1962	11,400	9,878	1.855
Debt Service	10-113			
Library	12-1220			
Road	68-518c			
Cemetery	79-1962	7,050	5,428	1.019
Fire	85-1520	38,425	32,108	6.027
Special Machinery				
<b>Totals</b>	xxxxxx	56,875	47,414	8.901
Budget Summary	0			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate		Vote publication required?		Yes

Final Assessed Valuation:	County Clerk's Use Only
Township	5,327,498
	Nov. 1, 2014 Valuation

Assisted by:

Address:

Email:

Attest:

2014

County Clerk

*Roz Morier* Board Clerk

*John D. Hill* Chairman

*Marilyn Von Soosten* - Treas.

Governing Body

Special Road Election held for Mills for years.  
First levy in

Sherman Township

2015

**Computation to Determine Limit for 2015**

	<b>Amount of Levy</b>
1. Total tax levy amount in 2014	+ \$ <u>45,114</u>
2. Debt service levy in 2014	- \$ <u>0</u>
3. Tax levy excluding debt service	\$ <u>45,114</u>

**2014 Valuation Information for Valuation Adjustments**

4. New improvements for 2014:	+ <u>100,929</u>	
5. Increase in personal property for 2014:		
5a. Personal property 2014	+ <u>100,816</u>	
5b. Personal property 2013	- <u>126,842</u>	
5c. Increase in personal property (5a minus 5b)	+ <u>0</u>	
		(Use Only if > 0)
6. Valuation of property that changed in use during 2014:	+ <u>813</u>	
7. Total valuation adjustment (sum of 4, 5c, 6)		<u>101,742</u>
8. Total estimated valuation July 1, 2014	<u>5,335,211</u>	
9. Total valuation less valuation adjustment (8 minus 7)		<u>5,233,469</u>
10. Factor for increase (7 divided by 9)		<u>0.01944</u>
11. Amount of increase (10 times 3)	+ \$	<u>877</u>
12. 2015 budget tax levy, excluding debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (3 plus 11)	\$	<u>45,991</u>
13. Debt service levy in this 2015 budget		<u>0</u>
14. 2015 budget tax levy, including debt service, prior to CPI adjustment (12 plus 13)		<u>45,991</u>
15. Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers for calendar year 2013		<u>1.50%</u>
16. Consumer Price Index adjustment (3 times 15)	\$	<u>677</u>
17. Maximum levy for budget year 2015, including debt service, not requiring 'notice of vote publication.' (14 plus 16)	\$	<u>46,668</u>

If the 2015 adopted budget includes a total property tax levy exceeding the dollar amount in line 17 you must publish notice of vote by the governing body to adopt such budget in the official county newspaper and attach a copy of the published notice to this budget.

In no event will published notice of the vote be required if the total budget year tax levy is \$1,000 or less.

Sherman Township  
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Allocation of Motor, Recreational, and 16/20M Vehicle Tax

Budgeted Funds for 2014	Budget Tax Levy Amount for 2015	Allocation for Proposed Year 2015		
		MVT	RVT	16/20M Veh
General	9,765	1,190	11	238
Debt Service	0	0	0	0
Library	0	0	0	0
Road	0	0	0	0
Cemetery	6,227	758	7	151
Fire	29,122	3,546	33	708
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0
Total	45,114	5,494	51	1,097

County Treasurer's Motor Vehicle Estimate

5,494

County Treasurer's Recreational Vehicle Estimate

51

County Treasurer's 16/20M Vehicle Estimate

1,097

Motor Vehicle Factor

0.12178

Recreational Vehicle Factor

0.00113

16/20M Vehicle Factor

0.02432



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**FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY**

Adopted Budget General	Prior Year Actual for 2013	Current Year Estimate for 2014	Proposed Budget Year for 2015
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	158	42	0
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	10,378	9,765	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	131	267	267
Motor Vehicle Tax	872	1,028	1,190
Recreational Vehicle Tax	9	12	11
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	189	167	238
LAVTR			0
Gross Earnings (Intangibles) Tax			0
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>11,579</b>	<b>11,239</b>	<b>1,706</b>
<b>Resources Available:</b>	<b>11,737</b>	<b>11,281</b>	<b>1,706</b>
Expenditures:			
Tax	1,670		
Mileage	3,600	5,700	5,700
Supplies & Equipment	2,123	400	400
Utilities	2,284	1,000	1,000
Cleaning	250		
Mowing & Building	1,768	630	630
Insurance		1,170	1,170
Operating Expenses		2,381	2,500
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(No Levy)			
Does the General Fund have a tax levy			
Transfer to Spec. Mach.(Gen has Levy)			
Transfer can not exceed 25% Resources Avail			
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>11,695</b>	<b>11,281</b>	<b>11,400</b>
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	42	0	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2013/2014/2015 Budget Authority Amount:	11,400	11,400	11,400
		Non-Appropriated Balance	
<b>See Tab A</b>		Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance	11,400
		Tax Required	9,694
	Delinquent Comp Rate: 1.9%		184
	Amount of 2014 Ad Valorem Tax		9,878

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**FUND PAGE FOR FUNDS WITH A TAX LEVY**

Adopted Budget	Prior Year Actual for 2013	Current Year Estimate for 2014	Proposed Budget Year for 2015
<b>Cemetery</b>			
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	86	0	560
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	4,912	6,227	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	167	247	247
Motor Vehicle Tax	1,251	875	758
Recreational Vehicle Tax	13	12	7
16/20 M Vehicle Tax	230	249	151
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>6,573</b>	<b>7,610</b>	<b>1,163</b>
<b>Resources Available:</b>	<b>6,659</b>	<b>7,610</b>	<b>1,723</b>
Expenditures:			
Operating Expenses	687	7,050	7,050
Supplies & Equipment	315		
Mowing	4,650		
Transfer to fire	1,007		
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>6,659</b>	<b>7,050</b>	<b>7,050</b>
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	0	560	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2013/2014/2015 Budget Authority Amount:	7,600	7,050	7,050
	Non-Appropriated Balance		
	Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance		7,050
	Tax Required		5,327
Delinquent Comp Rate:	1.9%		101
Amount of 2014 Ad Valorem Tax			5,428

**Adopted Budget**

Fire	Prior Year Actual for 2013	Current Year Estimate for 2014	Proposed Budget Year for 2015
Unencumbered Cash Balance January 1	434	914	1,748
Receipts:			
Ad Valorem Tax	27,622	29,122	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Delinquent Tax	487	881	881
Motor Vehicle Tax	3,499	3,534	3,546
Recreational Vehicle Tax	36	41	33
16/20M Vehicle Tax	715	681	708
Transfer from Cemetery	1,007		
Interest on Idle Funds			
Miscellaneous			
Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Rec			
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>33,366</b>	<b>34,259</b>	<b>5,168</b>
<b>Resources Available:</b>	<b>33,800</b>	<b>35,173</b>	<b>6,916</b>
Expenditures:			
Insurance	4,737	33,425	38,425
Supplies & Equipment	2,734		
Repairs	21,097		
Utilities	3,397		
Fuel	921		
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate			
Miscellaneous			
Does misc. exceed 10% of Total Expenditures			
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>32,886</b>	<b>33,425</b>	<b>38,425</b>
Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31	914	1,748	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
2013/2014/2015 Budget Authority Amount:	33,425	33,425	38,425
	Non-Appropriated Balance		
	Total Expenditure/Non-Appr Balance		38,425
	Tax Required		31,509
Delinquent Comp Rate:	1.9%		599
Amount of 2014 Ad Valorem Tax			32,108

# NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

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**Crawford County**

will meet on August 11, 2014 at 5:30 P.M. at Sherman Township Hall for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax. Detailed budget information is available at Crawford County Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing.

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General	11,695	2.136	11,281	1.912	11,400	9,878	1.851
Debt Service							
Library							
Road							
Cemetery	6,659	1.011	7,050	1.219	7,050	5,428	1.017
Fire	32,886	5.685	33,425	5.702	38,425	32,108	6.018
Special Machinery							
Totals	51,240	8.832	51,756	8.833	56,875	47,414	8.886
Less: Transfers	0		0		0		
Net Expenditure	51,240		51,756		56,875		
Total Tax Levied	43,585		45,114		xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx		
Assessed Valuation:							
Township	4,935,063		5,107,203		5,335,211		
Outstanding Indebtedness,							
Jan 1	2012		2013		2014		
G.O. Bonds	0		0		0		
Other	0		0		0		
Lease Purchase Principal	0		0		65,000		
Total	0		0		65,000		

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

Marilyn VonSoosten  
Township Treasurer

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CRAWFORD COUNTY

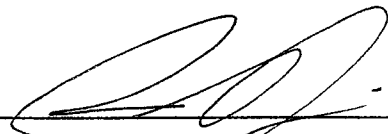
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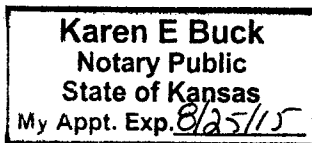
That he is the publisher of Hometown Girard, a biweekly newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in Crawford County, Kansas, with a general paid circulation. The said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

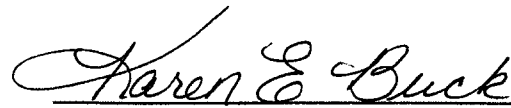
Said newspaper is a biweekly publication published at least 26 times per year.

That the attached notice is a true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper on the 1st day of Sept, 2014.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to me before this 3rd day of Sept, 2014.



  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My commission expires: 08/25/15

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Additional copies: 0

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Deloris Lentz	Sept 13	Troy Blair
John Michael	Sept 13	Robert Niggemann
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Kristi Dobrac	Sept 14	Carley Bradshaw
Kyle Thomas	Sept 14	Geneva McGown
Nate Murdock	Sept 14	Melba Taylor
Clarence Murray	Sept 15	Greta Sauer
Mark Lehman	Sept 15	Linda Garrett
Ruth Brown	Sept 15	Alan Mein
Wendell Barrow	Sept 15	Paul Gardner
Kim Pitts	Sept 15	Austin Price
Connor Fleming	Sept 17	Buss Strobel
Dorothy Horton	Sept 17	Kathy Hale
Graham Dixon	Sept 17	

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Gary & Sharon Starr	Sept 20	Stan & Carol Gillila

## NOTICE OF VOTE - SHERMAN TOWNSHIP

In adopting the 2015 budget the governing body voted to increase property taxes in an amount greater than the amount levied for the 2014 budget, adjusted by the 2013 CPI for all urban consumers. 3 members voted in favor of the budget and 0 members voted against the budget.

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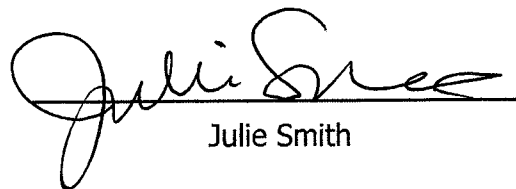
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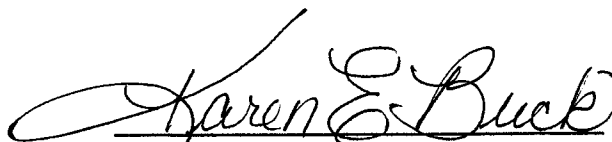
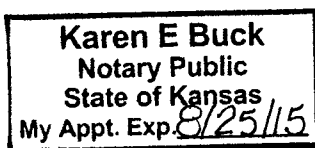
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Julie Smith

Subscribed and sworn to me before this 16 day of October, 2014.

  
Notary Public

My commission expires: 08/25/15

Printer's Fee: \$ 16.25

Additional copies: \_\_\_\_\_